



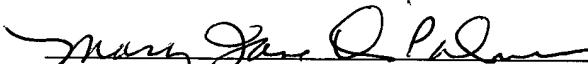
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In reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed June 11, 2001 (a copy of which is enclosed), Applicant as a small entity submits herewith the following:

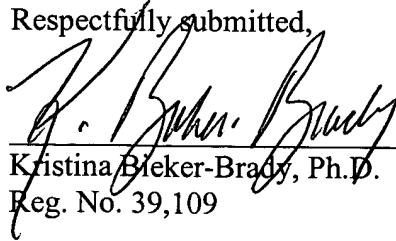
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- Payment of the surcharge of \$65.00 for late filing of the basic filing fee/declaration.

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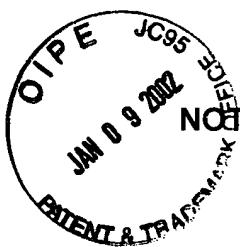
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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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